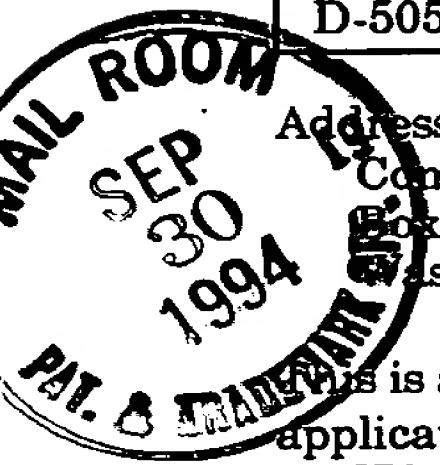


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This is a Request for filing a  continuation-in-part  continuation  divisional application under 37 CFR 1.62 of prior application Serial No. 08/060,463, filed on May 12, 1993; which was a continuation of application Serial No. 07/770,742, filed on October 2, 1991, now abandoned; which was a continuation application of Serial No. 07/256,689, filed on October 12, 1988, now abandoned, entitled Multiplex Genomic DNA Amplification for Deletion Detection by the following named inventor(s).

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The above identified prior application in which no payment in the issue fee, abandonment of, or termination of proceedings has occurred, is hereby expressly abandoned as of the filing date of this new application. Please use all the contents of the prior application file wrapper, including the drawings, as the basic papers for the new application. (Note: 37 CFR 1.60 may be used for applications where the prior application is not to be abandoned.)

1.  Enter the amendment previously filed on        under 37 CFR 1.116 but unentered, in the prior application.
2.  A preliminary amendment is enclosed.  
The filing fee is calculated on the basis of the claims existing in the prior application as amended at 1 and 2 above.

Claims	(1) For	(2) Number filed	(3) Number extra	(4) Rate	(5) Calculations
	Total Claims	24 - 20 =	4	X \$ 22.00	\$ 88.00
	Independent Claims	14 - 3 =	11	X \$ 74.00	814.00
	Multiple Dependent Claim(s) (if applicable)				+ \$ 230.00
					+ \$ 710.00
					Total of above Calculations = \$ 1,612.00
	Reduction by 1/2 for filing by small entity (Note 37 CFR 1.9, 1.27, 1.28.) If applicable, affidavit must be filed also.				- \$ 806.00
					Total National Fee \$ 806.00

3.  The Commissioner is  authorized to charge fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-2375.

4.  A check in the amount of \$   is enclosed.

5.  A new oath or declaration is included since this application is a continuation-in-part which discloses and claims additional matter.

6.  Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:

This application is a  continuation-in-part,  continuation,  division, of application Serial No. 08/060,463, filed May 12, 1993, which was a continuation of application Serial No. 07/770,742 filed October 2, 1991, now abandoned, which was a continuation of application Serial No. 07/256,689 filed October 12, 1988, now abandoned.

7.  A verified statement claiming small entity status is enclosed (necessary even if a statement was filed in the prior application.)

8.  Priority of application Serial No.    filed on    in    is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119.

9.  The prior application is assigned of record to: Baylor College of Medicine

10.  The power of attorney in the prior application is to: Thomas D. Paul, Reg. No. 32,714

11.  Also enclosed

Address all future communications to: (May only be completed by applicant, or attorney or agent of record)

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It is understood that secrecy under 35 U.S.C. 122 is hereby waived to the extent that if information or access is available to any one of the applications in the file wrapper of a 37 CFR 1.62 application, be it either this application or a prior application in the same file wrapper, the Patent and Trademark Office may provide similar information or access to all the other applications in the same file wrapper.

September 30, 1994

Date



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APPLICANT: CASKEY ET AL.

§ EXAMINER:  
A. MARSCHELTITLE: MULTIPLEX GENOMIC DNA  
AMPLIFICATION FOR  
DELETION DETECTION§  
§ ART UNIT: 1807  
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Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing in the above-captioned case is a Request for File Wrapper Continuation, a Preliminary Amendment Under 37 CFR § 1.115, a Verified Statement (Declaration) Claiming Small Entity Status for Baylor College of Medicine, and Petition and Fee for Extension of Time (37 CFR 1.136(a)).

Please charge a filing fee of \$614, the fee for one (1) month extension and any additional fees to Deposit Account 06-2375 under Order Number 883159/D-5050-C-C-C.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive ink that appears to read "Thomas D. Paul".

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I hereby certify that this paper or fee is being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 CFR 1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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Verified Statement - Small Entity Status (1 pages)

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